

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the auditor-general be allowed the sum of four hundred and fifty pounds? Resolved in the affirmative.

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the deputy auditor be allowed the sum of one hundred and seventy-five pounds? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put, That each member of the council be allowed the sum of two hundred pounds each? Resolved in the affirmative.

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That each delegate to congress be allowed the sum of three pounds per day? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	Somerville,	Dent,	John Dashiell,	R. Bowie,	Mitchell,	M'Meechen,
	De Butts,	Turner,	Adams,	F. Bowie,	Joseph Dashiell,	Steret,
	Lethbrury,	Stone,	Waters,	Chafe,	Purnell,	Beall,
	Grahame,	Ridgely of Wm.	Waggaman,	Quynn,	Carey,	Cramphin.
	Jones,	Gale,	Kirkman,	Chaille,	Downes,	

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Maxwell,	Ridgely,	Ennalls,	W. Bowie,	Beatty,	Stull,
	Graves,	Roberts,	Baker,	John Seney,	Norris,	Cellars,
	N. Worthington,	Goldborough,	Oglevee,	Jackson,	Wheeler,	Funk,
	Taney,	Bracco,	Miller,	Faw,	Hughlett,	Oneale,
	Gantt,					

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Chafe appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	Somerville,	Dent,	John Dashiell,	R. Bowie,	Joseph Dashiell,	M'Meechen,
	De Butts,	Turner,	Adams,	F. Bowie,	Purnell,	Steret,
	Lethbrury,	Stone,	Waters,	Chafe,	Faw,	Funk,
	Graves,	Ridgely of Wm.	Waggaman,	Quynn,	Carey,	Beall,
	Grahame,	Goldborough,	Kirkman,	Chaille,	Downes,	Cramphin.

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Messieurs	Maxwell,	Ridgely,	Oglevee,	John Seney,	Norris,	Stull,
	N. Worthington,	Roberts,	Miller,	Jackson,	Wheeler,	Cellars,
	Taney,	Ennalls,	W. Bowie,	Beatty,	Hughlett,	Oneale.
	Gantt,	Baker,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. John Love, a delegate returned for Harford county, appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government, took his seat in the house.

John Smith, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a letter from the governor of the 9th instant, with dispatches from congress of the 3d instant, enclosing an act of congress recognizing John Temple, Esq; as consul-general of his Britannic majesty throughout the United States, and also a list of the states represented in congress, endorsed; "By the senate, December 9, 1785: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates."

"By order,

J. DORSEY, clk."

Which were read.

Daniel Carroll, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a petition from the president and directors of the Patowmack company, on behalf of the said company; which was read.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to appoint an intendant of the revenue. ORDERED, That Mr. Chafe, Mr. R. Bowie, and Mr. Lethbrury, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to lay additional duties on certain enumerated articles imported into this state. ORDERED, That Mr. Chafe, Mr. Ridgely, Mr. De Butts, Mr. Steret, Mr. Turner, Mr. Bracco, and Mr. Jackson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

ORDERED, That Mr. Goldborough be added to the committee appointed to consider and report on the petitions of sundry inhabitants of Caroline and Dorchester counties.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, December 10, 1785.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Hall. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Ridgely of William has leave of absence.

On motion, ORDERED, That the intendant be requested to lay before the house the plans, estimates, and contracts by him entered into; respecting the repairing of the Stadt-house, governor's house, and the building a necessary within the public circle, as also his accounts of expenditures and advances, so far as the same hath been prosecuted.

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